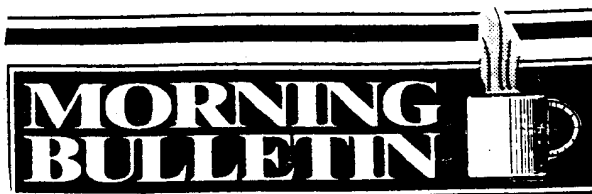


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### Mengele "news" is old hat

An avid reader writes: "Information contained in recently released CIA documents concerning Nazi 'Angel of Death' Dr. Josef Mengele's secretive life in South America is hardly new. Mr. Mengele's alleged connection to an international drug smuggling ring and reports that the U.S. Army had him in custody shortly after World War II have renewed interest in the accused war criminal. But accounts in the heavily censored CIA documents alleging that he lived and traveled freely in Paraguay and adjacent countries with the protection of Paraguayan President Alfredo Stroessner have been widely written about. The 1974 book 'Aftermath,' written by Ladislav Farago, details Mengele's life and travels, including specific information contained in the CIA documents. The book notes Mengele's 1956 Argentine identity card number (3,940,484), the same as listed in the CIA documents. And it lists almost a dozen aliases he used which are contained in the previously classified intelligence reports."